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THE LEGISLATURE.

Our Solons at Harrisburg do not as yet appear to be doing much. The Senate which is Democratic by a majority of one, has employed most of its time in filling and providing places for the hungry creatures that flocked to Harrisburg to reap the spoils, so soon as they learned that the Senate was Democratic. Oh what a set of hungry cormorants. They had been out of power so long. For twelve long years. Wm. P. Fury C. T. Alexander, Esq., Charles Smith and a thousand more rushed to head quarters demanding their share of the loaves and fishes. Some of them succeeded, others not. The unlucky fellows are very angry. Serves them right.

A bill has been offered by Mr. Mann, at Harrisburg, prohibiting the buying, selling or giving away of any spirituous or malt liquor, wine or cider, or anything containing alcohol, (how about medicine;) on any general or special election, under penalty of from 10 to 100 days imprisonment, and from $20 to $500 fine.

Another bill, offered by Mr. White, proposes to allow the voters of any city, borough, ward or township to decide by ballot, once in every three years, whether any license may be granted to sell liquor within its limits.

A petition asking for the passage of a law similar to the one contained in the bill offered by Mr. White was circulated in this town and County and numerously signed. That there should be re-strictions placed upon the manufacture and sale of alcholic drinks no candid man will for a moment deny; but the true, tride earnest, and practical temperance men of this County and State should see that they guard well their actions and not fritter away their strength, and work injury to their cause, by the passage of laws which will remain a dead letter upon our statute books, or which will be declared unconstitutional by the Supreme Court of the State. Our motto should be, "be sure you are right then go head."

For the benefit of all we publish the main point in the decision of the Supreme Court in the case of Parker *against* the Commonwealth. It will be found in Pennsylvania State Report 6th Barr, Page 507. It reads as follows Judge Bell said.

"Under the constitution of Pennsylvania, Legislative power must be exercised by the Legislature created by that constitution. Hence the act of 1846 giving the citizens of certain counties the power to decide by a vote whether the sale of vinous and spirituous liquors shall be continued within such counties, and imposing a penalty for the sale of such liquors, where a majority of the votes had been against such sale, is *unconstitutional* and *void*."

It is pretty clear that the House will attempt all kinds of special jobbery this winter, and the Democratic Senate will find it necessary to scan closely all measures that originate in the lower branch.—*Titusville Courier.*

When we consider that several of the most noted "pinchers" about Harrisburg are Democratic Senators, and that they figure conspicuously on what are known as the "rooster committees," such paragraphs as the above for our Democratic contemporaries are refreshing decidedly.—*Mercer Dispatch.*

We have a nice flock of Democratic "roosters" in Harrisburg now from this double Senatorial district. One or two of them are on the Banty order; but they are keeping a sharp look out for all the big steals, more especially the $9,500,000 swindle.

That Party.—That sleighing party, which was to have had an excursion week before last, but did not, owing to an unreasonable, if not unreasonable, change in the weather, lost no time in organizing for an excursion after Monday's snow storm. On Wednesday afternoon about twelve couples, principally married, drove out of town, bound for Copenhaver's Hotel—wheresoever that may be—taking with them the indefatigable Jack McClellan, and his inexhaustible fiddle. After a bounteous supper there was music and dancing and gaiety, and the blithesome party returned in high spirits the next morning, but owing to a severe snow-storm in the meantime, some of the party abandoned the sleighing and came home on the cars.—*Philipsburg Journal.*

The editor should know just where Copenhaver's Hotel is. If he does not he is about the only man in the county who is ignorant on that question. Moreover every person knows that Jno. Copenhaver is *the* man that *does* know how to keep a hotel, and how to get up bounteous suppers.

THE FINES, AND THE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Our correspondent who writes under the *nom de plume* of Taxpayer, requests us to furnish him and through him the people of this county, the authority or law upon which all fines imposed upon citizens of the county go the purchase of a law library. In compliance with the wish of "Tax-payer" we publish the law entire. It has been the law for nearly five years. We agree with our correspondent in this, that the law, to say the least of it, is of doubtful propriety. Read the law.

An Act Relative to the purchase of a law library, in the county of Centre.

Section 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same.* That all fines imposed by the courts of the county of Centre, and all forfeited recognizances, which, under existing laws, are not payable to the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, for its own use, are hereby directed to be paid to the committee hereinafter named, for the purchase of a law library, to be kept in the court house of said county, for the use of the court, bar and citizens of said county.

Section 2. The money thus arising shall be expended for said use, from time to time, under the direction of a committee composed of three members of the bar of said county, to be appointed by the court of said county, at the next term immediately after the passage of this act; said committee to continue during the present year; after which, said court shall appoint said committee annually, at the first term of the several courts, for each year, who shall account annually to the county auditors: *Provided*; That the said court shall have power to fill any vacancy, which may occur in said committee, by reason of death, or otherwise.

Section 3. The president judge, and bar of said court, shall have power, from time to time, to adopt such rules, regulations and by-laws, for the use and government of said library, as may be expedient, and consistent with the proper care and preservation of the same.

Section 4. All laws inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

James R. Kelley,
Speaker of the House of Rep.

David Fleming,
Speaker of the Senate.

Approved—The fourteenth day of February, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

A. G. Curtin.

For the Republican.

Bellefonte, Pa., Jan. 28, 1871.

Editor Republican.

Dear Sir:—Inasmuch as my name has been mentioned in connection with the Republican nomination for Auditor General, especially by papers in the western part of the State. I desire to say to them, as well as to the people of our own county, that I do not wish to be considered as a candidate for the nomination for that office. There are several reasons for this, among them, these:

1st. I do not desire office of any kind.

2nd. We have a candidate in our county, for Surveyor General, and as both candidates cannot be taken from the same county, I am unwilling to do or allow anything which will operate against Mr. Wilson's chances.

3rd. Locality having much to do with the availability of a candidate, I am of opinion that the north-western part of the State should be consulted, especially in this nomination.

These and many other reasons influence me in the conclusion to which I have come.

Very respectfully, yours, &c.,

James A. Beaver.

If you have a bad taste in your mouth sallowness or yellow color of skin, feel despondent, stupid and drowsy, appetite unsteady, frequent headache or dizziness you are "Billious," and nothing will arouse your liver to action and strengthen up your system equal to Dr. Pierce's Alt. Ext. or Golden Medical Discovery. Used moderately during exposure to malarial poisons it enables the liver to work off the poison and will thus prevent Ague and Billious Fevers. It is just the thing for jaundice. As a blood purifier for the cure of Pimples, Blotches Eruptions, Salt Rheum, Erysipies and other skin diseases, it has never yet been equalled. Sold by druggists.

The Democracy is rapidly returning to its former abject subserviency to the Southern leaders. Knowing full well that their strength in the future must come from that section; they are determined to conciliate the Southern politicians. This action has once before been the cause of the overthrow of the party, and may be in this day the cause of its death.

Official despatches, confirm the truth of the surrender of Paris.

THE IMPORTANCE OF UNITY.

The present political situation in Pennsylvania, says the *Beaver Radical*, is one demanding the careful consideration of every man who earnestly believes that the supremacy of the Republican party is essential to the just and successful administration of national affairs. So long as leading spirits in the Democratic party announce that the Amendments to the Federal Consitution, which embody the results of the late war and the future policy of this government, are fraudulent and void, we cling to the belief absolutely that the Republican ascendancy is a vital necessity to this country.

Believing this intensely, we look with alarm on anything which distracts that party, whether by design or through blundering stupidity. And we confess to more than ordinary anxiety when we see such apathy as that which induced the voters of the First Senatorial District to abandon the contest, and, by default, allow the Senate to fall into the hands of the Democracy. If this were merely the accident of a year it would be less matter. But it stretches beyond that period, and is fraught with far-reaching danger beyond the limits of our own State. The immediate effect of this short coming is to prevent the apportionment of our State in harmony with the growing necessities and increased population we must encounter as the legacy of the last ten years. But apart from that the position of Pennsylvania in National politics is seriously compromised.

Our State is certainly a powerful member of the Union. Her influence is justly great. Her impress on surrounding States is potential. But, in addition to all this, there is a conspicuous prominence accorded to Pennsylvania in National Conventions which surpasses—in our judgment—the actual numbers she is fairly entitled to carry into these great conclaves. Our geographical position adds to all our other elements of political importance. And the position we occupy, as well as the prominence accorded us in Federal affairs, is, in our eyes, but a trust which should be managed for the general weal. And we should, at all times, be prepared to give an account of our stewardship to the surrounding States which they have a right to demand at our hands.

If our conception of our duties and responsibilities is just, then it becomes a question of essential importance that every thing which vigilance and work will accomplish, should be done to maintain our place, and, if possible, deserve the distinguished position accorded to us. To this end petty jealousies and personal bickerings should be cast out. A large and generous submission to the general sentiment of our party should be made by all. The discipline of our party should be improved. Recalcitrant and hypercritical mischief-makers should be put down. And the will of the majority should be respected and obeyed in every instance. With these points engrafted on our party organization, all will be well. Without them the defeat of the Republican party in Pennsylvania is but a question of time. Distraction means ruin. Cohesion means supremacy. Let us have Peace!

REPUBLICAN MANAGEMENT.

The Indianapolis *Journal*, in speaking of the financial condition of Illinois and Indiana, remarks that "the administration of the State affairs of Illinois, under Republican rule, has produced the usual satisfactory result. The State debt has been reduced to $4,800,937, and the treasury has $3,032,104 for the discharge of outstanding obligations, leaving less than two millions of dollars to be provided for. This is well for our sister prarie State, but the Republicans of Indiana have done better. Our foreign debt is paid, so far as it has been presented for payment, and there is enough money in the treasury to pay all our creditors." In years past, when these two noble States were under Democratic control, they were both on the verge of bankruptcy and repudiation, and yet the members of that party are constantly harping on the financial mismanagement of the Republican party, and charging it with extravagance and corruption.

Speer's "Standard Wine Bitters."

The most excellent Bitters in the market, made of pure native Wine, in which have been steeped such herbs and roots as make the most strengthening and healthy Tonic.

Sold by druggists.

FREE TRADE AND PROTECTION—THE DIFFERENCE.

The Philadelphia *Press* says: Ireland, with a population of 5,500,000 has 15,500,000 acres of arable land, most of it naturally rich; while Belgium, with a population of 4,894,000, has but 6,428,000 acres, generally by nature poor. Yet Ireland it is which, according to the "dismal philosophers," is "over-populated;" and it certainly is the country from which men flee to escape beggary and starvation—that starvation which has, within a quarter of a century, carried off thousands of their fellow-countrymen. Belgium, however, has during all this time been advancing, and her people, day by day, and year by year, have been growing more prosperous and more happy and contented. Why are these things so? Because Ireland is cursed by British free trade, and cannot therefore have a vigorous and diversified industry, while Belgium, by a long and steady persistence in the protective policy, has built up one of the grandest diversified industries of Europe, and has at the same time and as a consequence so enriched her soil that it is among the most productive in the world and readily supports the densest population on the Continent. No two countries can be found which more faithfully or more graphically illustrate the workings of the two systems—British free trade and protection. Unhappy Ireland and prosperous Belgium serve, the one as a warning, the other as an example and a pattern, to these United States. May our people heed the lesson! We believe they will.

THE AUDITOR GENERALSHIP.

The Harrisburg correspondent of the Armstrong *Republican* has the following:

Among the distinguished strangers visiting this city, this week, I notice Col. David Stanton, of Beaver county, a cousin of the late Secretary of War, Edwin M. Stanton, also a prominent candidate for Auditor General. Col. Stanton is a genial, clever gentleman, of fine appearance, of unexceptionable character and undoubted ability. He will make a very strong candidate and if elected will make an efficient and popular State officer. In the contest for the nomination, he is far ahead of any candidate named, and will no doubt be successful. The East has had this position for the past two terms, and it is generally conceded to the West, and that the candidate for Surveyor General should be chosen from some of the minority counties of the East in recognition of their devotion to the party and the success with which they have fought the common enemy. These views seem to be just and right, and will no doubt control the action of the Convention that meets here on the 10th of March next. Col. Stanton being the only candidate of prominence spoken of in the West for Auditor General' he will 'most likely secure the nomination. He is a Republican of the earnest, active kind, has fought the battles of the party in the ranks and deserves promotion.

U. S. SENATORS ELECTED.

Hon. T. W. Ferry, Rep., has been elected U. S. Senator by the Michigan Legislature, to succeed Senator Howard.

Levi Salsbury, Dem., has been elected by the Legislature of Delaware, to succeed his brother, Hon. Willard Salsbury, whose term of office expires on the 4th of March next.

Frederick T. Frelinghuysen, Rep., has been elected by the New Jersey Legislature to succeed Senator A. G. Cattell, whose term of office expires on the 4th of March next.

The contest for U. S. Senator in Missouri has resulted in the choice of Frank Blair, Jr., Dem. The *Democrat*, of St. Louis. says, "his election was attended by scenes of drunkenness that disgrace the age." Blair succeeds Hon. C. D. Drake, Rep., resigned.

W. P. Hitchcock, Rep., has been elected to succeed the Hon. John M. Thayer, Rep., as U. S. Senator for the State of Nebraska.

Senator Morrill was recently re-elected by the Legislature of Maine.

Senator Wilson has been re-elected by the Legislature of Massachusetts.

The New York *Herald* attributes the impeachment of Governor Holden, in North Carolina, to Kuklux spite. It affirms that impeachment trials are at the best merely lumbering vehicles for party spite, and we have not had any very important precedent case in this country yet which need discourage Governor Holden. The probability is, we think, that the Democracy will make such fools of themselves, in their exultation over their accession to power, that they will disgust the people, and cause the State to again cast its vote for the Republican party.

For the Republican.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 21st 1871.

Messrs. Editor:—A sojourner in a "far-off land" desires to add his word of commendation and encouragement, to the many deserved encomiums of which you have lately been the recipients from the fraternity at home, for the energy and enterprise you have evinced in enlarging and otherwise adding to your valuable paper. May pecuniary success attend the venture and may the political sky of old Centre continue to brighten until once again a majority of her sturdy sons are found arrayed under the banner of the party of liberty and progress.

The past year has been one fraught with eventful lessons to the mind of the political student. It has clearly demonstrated the evils likely to spring from too great a preponderance of political sentiment in favor of one party, but it has also shown how, with proper care, those evils may be averted. To deserve and to receive a continuance of the popular support the party in power must avoid even the appearance of evil. We read that "mankind is prone to evil as the sparks fly upward." This might safely be amended so as to read "mankind is prone to believe evil, &c." Hence it is that every act that smacks of favoritism, special legislation and the like, should be avoided by the members of the dominant party, if they would not have their own acts "like chickens come home to roost." The party that cannot, in the long run, win by fair play and straight forward measures, deserves to fail.

Any political party has good reason to be distrustful of recruits who desire to immediately assume the leadership of those to whose principles they have just given their allegiance. It is the misfortune of success that certain of its accompaniments present themselves in the shape of partisans who have no principles except such as those said to have been held by the famous Vicar of Bray. The impudence of some of these gentlemen would be simply ludicrous were not the matter too grave a one to form a fit subject for amusement.

But while the circumstances just referred to has cost the Republican party dearly, inasmuch as they have deprived its Congressional Councils in either House of able wise and faithful statesmen, we have the satisfaction of knowing that the causes which injured are unwithingly assisting to heal. These *impediments* to which we have just alluded are already beginning to take neutral ground in order to join the victorious side without too sudden a change of front. Relieved of this encumbrance, the Republican party is better prepared for the next great contest than ever. A formidable "opposition" will prove a check upon a disposition to an inconsiderate use of the power held by the present overwhelming majority in Congress.

But Republicans have other causes for congratulation. For the first time since the organization of the Government, has the Congressional election intervening between two Presidential ones, resulted in the choice of a majority in sympathy with the executive so great has been the force of the reacting influences with which the latter has had to contend. The party achieving a victory like that of last fall, in the face of the obstacles mentioned need have no fear as to the soundness of its principles. That this great party is a unit on all questions of importance we will attempt to show in a future article.

D. S. K.

UNANIMOUSLY DEMOCRATIC.

The Legislature of Deleware which assembled on the third of January is unanimously Democratic in both branches. What a glorious chance they now have to carry out their principles, if they have any. There were only two Republicans in the last Legislature. There is a whipping post and pillory also, (we believe) in Deleware—both Democratic, conservative institutions. Show your hands, gentlemen and shame the Heathen Chinee.

The Warren *Mail* says that when the Hon. L. D. Wetmore takes his seat in Warren county they will have the unusual spectacle of two brothers together on the bench formerly occupied by their father. Associate Judge S. A. Wetmore has one year more to serve.

A Boston paper expresses the deliberate conviction that "a man who will not do anything himself, nor let any one else do anything, by way of public improvement, ought to keep tavern after every body else is dead."

STATE NEWS.

Lager is four cents per glass in Pottsville.

The Pittsburg *Gazette* is in its 86th year.

A board of trade is to be organized in Titusville.

Pork is selling at 10 cents per pound in Scranton.

A new Democratic paper at Hanover, York county, is talked of.

Pottsville complains of an unusal amount of counterfeit money.

Last year 16,750 Philadelphians died. In 1869 the number was 15,796.

Stand off city has a "penny post," the experiment of a private citizens.

Dr. F. S. Hunt, formerly of Scranton, died in St. Louis on the 11th ult.

Mr. Bateman Coe, one of the heavy Pittsburg oil operators, has failed.

Hon. J. Covode leaves nine children and a million and a half of dollars.

The Union County Teachers' Institute convenes at Lewisburg, February 6th.

An Allegheny man charges his wife with having an "uproarious disposition.

The area of Philadelphia is many thousand acres larger than the area of London.

A Montgomery county deer weighs 500 pounds, which its name it is Polly Deer.

The United States collected $6,850,736 internal revenue in Phil'a., during 1870.

There were 108 foxes and 10 wildcats killed in McKean county during the year 1870.

Superintendent Nicholas, of the Reading road, has not resigned, as has been stated.

Rev. J. F. Fahs, of Allentown, has been presented with an overcoat by his congregation.

Wm. Clewell, a well-known citizen of Bethlehem, died Thursday night, week, aged 63 years.

A company is being organized to start a cheese factory in East Marlborough, Chester county.

Mercer Co., has three agricultural societies, and a fourth will be organized at Mercer this month.

A little child of Mr. Pius Miller, residing in Berwick twp., Adams county, was badly burned last week.

The Lackawanna coal company has 40,000 tons on hand. It hopes to make a dollar a ton by the strike.

There are 8,365 public lamps in Philadelphia, which consume, each, gas to the value of $55,50 during the year.

Some of the patent pavement recently put down in Williamsport has been ruined by the recent heavy rains.

Mrs. M. Coleman, wife of Prof. Coleman, of Lafayette college, died in Milwaukee, Wis., a short time since.

Judge Trunkey, at the last Venango county court, fined four jurors, who did not answer to their names, $15 each.

The Philadelphia *Star*, now that the city has a paid fire department, says: Wanted—a paid teachers' department.

Lafayette college received a student from Tennessee, being the first from that State since the beginning of the war.

Robert Reiley died at Cincinnati, Saturday morning, aged about 86 years. He went to Cincinnati from this State in 18[illegible]2.

The first slate quarry opened in this State was at Slateford, Northampton county, in 1833, by a gentleman named Samuel Snyder.

A Titusville chemist is engaged in experiments for the purpose of producing artificial crystalized carbon, or genuine diamonds, from petroleum.

The West Reading rolling mill has suspended operation, the enterprise failing to pay sufficiently. Sixty men are thrown out of employment.

The contract for constructing the Martinsville and Potomac railroad, 11 miles in length, has been awarded to Mr. Jas. March, of Lebanon.

Jno. A. Shober, of Lancaster, has been awarded a contract to furnish the government with 15,000 reams uncalendered paper at 13¼ cents per pound.

Col. A. R. Calhoun, Commander Department of Penn'a. G. A. R., has been presented with a cane by his admirers in Hazelton, Luzerne county.

The borough of Chester, in Delaware county, is the oldest town in the state, having been settled in 1643, and at that time being known as Upland.

When the Connellsville railroad is completed to Baltimore, its name will likely be changed to that of "the Pittsburg, Washington and Baltimore R. R.

The Easton *Free Press* says that on Saturday last the subscription books for stock of a new iron-foundry company at Freemansburg were re-opened and $23,000 were subscribed.

Mr. P. Richings, the veteran actor and manager, father of Caroline Richings, died on Wednesday evening week, at his farm in Media, Deleware Co., in the 74th year of his age.

Geo. Robinson, who claims to be a resident of Pittsburg, was committed to jail at Columbus, Ohio, on a charge of robbing the post-office at Black Lick station, on the night of the 13th ult.

The Erie *Dispatch* says: There is now talk of getting up another paper in this city, the chief feature of which is that it will publish the names of persons, with amounts of debts that they refuse or fail to pay.

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BELLEFONTE, PA.

RENOUNCE THE CUP.

A drunkard reached his cheerless home,
The storm without was dark and wild,
He forced his weeping wife to roam
A friendless wanderer with her child.
As through the falling snow she pressed,
The babe was sleeping on her breast.

And colder still the winds did blow,
The darker hours of night came on,
And deeper grew the drifted snow;
Her limbs were chilled, her strength was gone.
Oh, God! she cried, in accents wild,
If I must perish, save my child.

At morn her cruel husband passed,
And saw her on her snowy bed;
Her tearful eyes were closed at last,
Her cheek was pale, her spirit fled.
He raised the mantle from the child,
The babe looked up and sweetly smiled.

Shall this sad warning plead in vain?
Poor thoughtless one it speaks to you!
Now break the tempter's cruel chain,
No more your dreadful way pursue;
Renounce the cup, to Jesus fly—
Immortal soul, why will you die?

BELLE ALDEN'S TRAVELING BAG.

A train bound for St. Louis had just left the depot of Bellefontaine, when a gentleman entered the smoking car, and laid his hand upon the shoulder of his traveling companion a tall handsome man of thirty, who sat musingly blowing rings of smoke into the air.

"Marcy said the new comer, "if you want to see at once the sweetest and saddest sight you ever beheld, go into the last car but one on the train. There's an emigrant German woman, with four little children, and during the afternoon the youngest, a baby, has died. The mother and the other children are inconsolable."

"I can understand," interrupted the smoker, "the sadness of such a scene, but where is the sweetness you spoke of?"

"I am coming to that. The whole party have been taken in charge by a young lady. Such a beauty! She's dried the mother's tears, and wiped the children's noses. She's a divinity! She only needs a few feathers on her shoulder-blades to make a full-fledged angel of her. If I was not a married man, I'd never leave her till I'd made Mrs. Angelica Townsend out of her."

"That's a speech which I shall faithfully report to Mrs. Agnes Townsend," said the gentleman addressed as Marcy, rising. "I shall go back and feast my eyes on this beautiful Sister of Charity; and" he added, taking his traveling satchel and shawl from the rack, "as we stop at the next station, which is due in ten minutes, I may as well take my traps through with me and join you on the platform."

Thus saying, Richard Marcy threw his shawl over his shoulder, and sauntered leisurely through the long train—rushing blindly and calmly to his fate. For, as he entered the last car but one, he became a witness and an actor in the scene that influenced his whole future life.

The poor grief-stricken German, of whom his companion, Doctor Townsend, had spoken, with the dead infant in her arms, sat silently weeping over the little dead face.

The three sturdy children, grouped about their dead brother, was indeed a touching spectacle. But, standing beside them, was the divinity of Dr. Townsend's admiration, and she who was most certainly to "share the ends" of the unhappy Richard.

She was a tall, slender girl of eighteen, with magnificent eyes and hair. As he entered the car, she was speaking, her lovely face flushed, and the small rosy mouth, disclosing a beautiful set of teeth, turned bewitchingly towards the tall stranger at the door.

"Ladies and gentlemen," spoke the sweet voice, "this poor woman, friendless and penniless, speaking no English, with four little children, was expecting to find work in St. Louis to support them. If everything had gone well with her it would have been hard for her; but with her little dead baby and her sorrowful heart she is certainly a deserving object of charity; and I propose that such as feel willing, contribute their mite toward a little purse for her immediate wants and the burial of her poor baby. "And," she added, with a bewitching smile, "if any gentleman will lend me a hat I will go round and take up a collection."

In an instant the gallant Richard pulled his traveling cap from his blonde curls and offered it to the Angel of Mercy, who accepted it with a smile, this time all his own, and commenced gathering the ready forthcoming dollars her generous, graceful appeal brought from the purses of all in the car.

Richard watched the slender figure in gray, gathering the money; and looking at the plaid cap in the white jeweled fingers, bethought him of his own donation, and stepping to the seat the beauty had just occupied he laid his satchel and shawl on a family of its kind, belonging to the angel in gray, and took from his pocket a ten dollar bill, which he placed within the little hand that returned him his cap.

Further damage the poor fellow received, when a second smile and a warmly worded thanks for his liberal contribution were dealt him from the beautiful mouth.

Dick was in the midst of an elaborate reply, when the cars stopped. He lingered yet an other moment, seized his satchel and shawl with his eyes still on the face of his charmer, and then, even as the cars were again in motion, he bethought himself of the doctor, and hurriedly left the car and joined his friend on the platform.

"Well," ejaculated that worthy, "I began to believe you'd concluded to go and bury the dead baby, and make the protecting beauty Mrs. Angelica Marcy. Isn't she a stunner?"

"Townsend," returned his friend "don't use slang in speaking of the noble creature." He looked after the train just dssappearing in the distance. "I wish to Heaven," he continued, "I'd remained aboard. How stupid I was to leave it. I might have learned her name and residence. And now—."

"Now in all probability," broke in the doctor, "you'll never meet her in this vale of tears. But you'll know her in Heaven, if you behave yourself well enough to get there, by her wings; she'll have the biggest of any of them, seeing they've commenced to sprout on earth."

And thus rallying his thoroughly captivated friend, the two made their way to the house of an acquaintance, with whom they were to remain that night, and go on the next day to their destination—St. Louis.

After the first salutation, our hero went to his room, to remove some of the evidence of his long ride from New York. He had removed his coat, vest, and collar; he had splashed and soaped and washed, till the damp curls clung to his shapely head, when he made a startling discovery.

Flushed and breathless he rushed into the next room, upon his friend.

"Townsend," cried he "what upon earth do you suppose? I've got the wrong bag. I've changed baggage with the Angel of Mercy. Look at that slipper. She that thimble. Contemplate that glove."

"It's evident you've got the lady's satchel. And what was there in yours?"

"Don't bring up that dreadful idea." said Dick. "Cigars and hair brush, a pack of cards and a comb, a pocket-flask and a tooth brush—everything disreputable. If I am judged by that bag, I am a lost man."

"And this I took for a clean shirt," and Dick held up a frilled fluted sack, such as do duty for more extensive night dresses with ladies when traveling. I'd like to see Angelica when she opens my satchel."

And Dick fell to musing, with the slipper perched on two fingers, and the frilled white sack spread out tenderly upon his knees.

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In an upper apartment of a handsome mansion in St. Louis, on the evening of the day our heroine first made the readers acquaintance, beautiful Belle Alden, the petted and only daughter of the house, sat contemplating the various articles her confidential maid was depositing upon the table, articles taken from no less a receptacle than Dick Marcy's traveling bag.

The cards and cigar case lay side by side, and a highly scented party they were.

"What's in the little silver flask, Rosa?" said the fair mistress.

"Brandy, mam," replied the maid.

"He cant be very dissipated, to travel with such a little bottle. That's in case of sickness, I suppose," returned Belle.

"It is my belief," said Rosa, who was a shrewd girl, "that the gentleman was a mighty nice one, else you'd not so readily excuse the cards and the bottle."

"For shame, Rosa. All gentlemen play euchre traveling, and even clergymen take a little brandy in case of sickness," answered Belle. "And this man was a gentleman, and a liberal one, too, for he gave the poor emigrant woman $10. What's that Rosa?"

For, at that moment, Rosa held between her fingers a letter.

Whether it was wrong to read a stranger's letter vexed Belle for a moment, as her eyes glanced at the superscription and handwriting.

"Why, of all things!" exclaimed the delighted girl, seizing the letter. "Why, Rosa, this is Jenny Marcy's writing, and addressed to Richard Marcy, her only darling brother, who was in Europe when we two graduated at Madame Ritter's, in Brooklyn."

Belle read rapidly till she had reached the middle of the letter, when she burst into a merry laugh.

"Hear this, Rosa," she said, and read from the letter:

"Above all things, Dick, dear, don't fail while in St. Louis, to see my best friend and schoolmate. Bell Alden. I know you will fall in love with her, for, besides being the best girl in the world, she's a beauty and an heiress, and father's choice above all others, for his son's wife. He used to talk it over at home, and hope Belle would not marry before you came home from Europe. She is full as anxious to know you, and wears your hair and mine in a locket father gave her last, year. Give her lots of love and beg of her to overlook your many imperfections for the sake of her old school-fellow, Jenny."

"Then this gentleman is, of course, Miss Jenny's brother," said Rosa, "and what will she say when she hears of your having met in this romantic way?"

"I don't intend to tell her of it till I go to New York this fall," said Belle. "Perhaps he brother will call."

But in this supposition Bell was wrong. The month passed, and she saw no more of the golden-headed Richard.

And she carefully separated the yellow lock in the little keepsake from the dark tress of Jenny's and put it back into its place alone, while another locket held the bit of Jenny's. And, somehow, Belle looked very, very often at the wee golden curl, and she never did so but the rest of the handsome head sprang up beside the lock; and she would sit and contemplate the picture her fancy wrought for her, little dreaming the interest she was allowing to grow in her bosom for Jenny's brother.

In the fall, Belle and her father went to New York, and the first day after her arrival found her siting with her old friend, who after the first effusive meeting was past, sat down to empty her soul.

"I'm so glad you are here this month," Jenny said, "because I'm to be married in October, and I have always been crazy to have you for a bridesmaid and Dick is to be Harry's best man."

Belle blushed.

"But Dick has fallen hopelessly, madly in love!"

Belle turned pale.

"Yes, I was so dreadful provoked when he passed through St. Louis and never went near you. But he went wild over some lady he met on that fatal trip.

"He will talk to me by hours of his Angelica. And when I have spoken of you he has been positively rude, and asked me to have done bothering him about my freckled school friends—you know your picture shows freckles; but bless me, you haven't any now! And your picture don't look any more like you than it does like me, not a bit."

"But tell me," said Belle, "is your brother engaged to this lady?"

"Engaged! Why, dear heart, he don't know her name. He just found some of her old clothes somewhere. He's got her old slippers under a glass case; he's got her gloves stuffed under another; he's got her night-gown done up in lavender; he's got her gold thimble hung on his watch chain, and I do believe he's got a hair brush and some hair pins next to his heart. Oh, its folly to interfere! He's beyond all hope! I did think the excitement of my wedding would wean him from it; but not a bit. He looks at my new things as calmly as an oyster, and only said—it's not kind of me to repeat it though," broke off Jenny.

"What was it he said?" inquired Belle, laughing now heartily. "Don't fear for my feelings."

"Why," he said, "I'll stand up with your friend Belle, and see you safely married: and then I'm off, to winter in Paris. I'm done with love on my own account. It's positively awful."

And so Belle thought, as she looked at her old slipper and glove, lying beneath a globe on either side the faithful Richard's mantle.

"And," said Belle, "since he desires only to meet me on the morning of the wedding, so it shall be. I will be introduced only as we are leaving the house, and he can do as he pleases about continuing the acquaintance afterwards."

Belle was radiant with happiness when she returned to her father, and delighted his fond heart by the change, for Belle had been very quiet of late.

Jenny and Belle shopped and talked and visited together for the next few days, and when the eventful morning arrived, and amid a bevy of beautiful girls, Belle shone like a queen, the bride was eclipsed, and delightfully acknowledged it.

'O, Belle!" she said; "I long to have old stoical Dick see you. Hark, there's his step. Come into the next room now, and be introduced. Don't wait until the carriages come—it's an hour yet."

And Belle, with a beating heart, swept through the door and stood even as Dick first saw her, only in place of the gray traveling dress, a magnificent white satin fell in rich folds about her, and upon her lovely white throat lay the turquois locket that held Dick's golden curl. Upon the beautiful head, crowned by its chestnut hair, a coronal of pearls added to the grace and beauty of an image that shrined in Dick's heart, was already an angel.

Belle did not look up, but she felt the presence, as Richard Marcy came up and was introduced to little Jenny's old schoolmate. Then, as he held out his hand, she raised her eyes, and laid her tiny palm in his, and said:

"I think we had better rectify that mistake about the traveling-bags, Mr. Marcy."

"Good Heaven, Jenny!" said Dick Marcy, "why didn't you tell me that your friend Belle was my Angel of Mercy."

"Because I didn't know till last night, and then Belle made me promise not to tell. And besides, you didn't want to meet the freckled school girl till it was positively necessary," returned Jenny, mischievously.

It would be hard to say which of the four that made Jenny's bridal party was the happiest that day.

Dick did not go to Paris that winter. He found that St. Louis contained more attraction than any foreign city.

But the next fall will see Dick and Belle on their wedding tour, and he vows he will have the two old romantic traveling bags brushed up for the occasion. Doctor Townsend, who is to go along, says he knew the minute he saw that girl she would one day be Angelica Marcy, as he "felt it in the air."

Inn-genius—A hotel clerk.

Wool.

Wool has without doubt been used by mankind in the production of fabrics for clothing from the most remote period of the world's history. The great need of warm material to counteract the inclemency of Winter, especially in Northern climates, has tended in every age to create a demand for this useful commodity, which has hence become a staple in the markets of all nations.

The manufacture of woolen fabrics was introduced into Great Britain about the time of the Roman invasion, but there is little doubt that it was known to a limited extent even before this, as Phoenician merchants, previous to this period, traded with England for metals, especially tin, and doubtless wool was numbered among the numerous articles used in barter in those ancient times; and it is highly probable that the Aborigines of Great Britain, rude and uncouth as were their customs, were acquainted with some primitive method of manufacturing this commodity. As time progressed and Europe became populated, the growing of wool became one of the most important branches of industry.

As far back as the twelfth century, the manufacture of wool into cloth entered in the counties of Suffolk and Buckinghamshire. Many towns in Yorkshire were also engaged in this production, and Yorkshire has now the largest woolen trade in the kingdom. Many towns in the West of England engaged in active competition, manifesting much energy and skill, and are now celebrated for peculiarly fine specimens of cloth of the best quality.

Spain at one period produced the choicest wools, but since the merino sheep were imported into Saxony, Saxon wool has been in great demand, and is deemed by many to be the most valuable. Some descriptions of wool cannot be converted into fine cloth, therefore, choice lots of merino wools are much sought after. Germany at one time exported large quantities of wool into England, but since the colonization of the Cape of Good Hope and Australia, these latter places have competed most successfully, and now annually contribute, especially to the English market, the largest amount of wool.

It is almost imposible to give any idea of the number of sheep required to supply the necessary amount of wool for one year. Indeed, it is not in the slightest degree necessary, as the mind would fail to grasp the truth on account of its magnitude.

In England, a few censuses of sheep have been taken, but at best they were only approximations to the actual number; that at the early part of the present century stated the sheep at 26,000,000, and the wool at about 90,000,000 lbs., showing an average of about 3½ lbs., of wool to each sheep.

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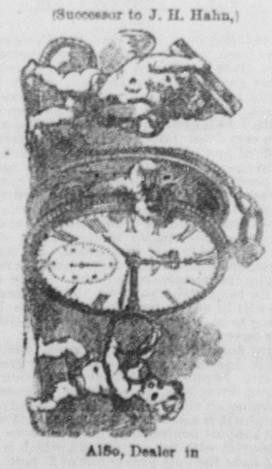

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Through the kindness of our special friend in the Census Department at Washington D. C., we have been enabled to lay before our readers, in advance of all the daily and weekly papers of the country, the following interesting table, showing the population of every State and of the United States and Territories, according to the late census:

STATE	POPULATION. 1860.	1870.
Alabama	964,201	996,961
Arkansas	435,450	483,179
California	379,994	560,285
Connecticut	460,147	537,418
Delaware	112,216	125,015
Florida	140,424	†187,756
Georgia	1,057,286	1,100,679
Illinois	1,711,951	2,539,638
Indiana	1,350,428	1,675,046
Iowa	674,913	1,191,802
Kansas	107,206	†362,872
Kentucky	1,155,684	1,321,001
Louisana	708,992	†732,732
Maine	628,279	626,463
Maryland	687,049	†780,826
Massachusetts	1,231,066	1,457,351
Michigan	749,113	1,184,392
Minnesota	172,023	435,911
Mississippi	791,305	*834,170
Missouri	1,182,612	†1,715,000
Nebraska	28,841	†123,000
Nevada	6,857	42,491
New Hamshire	326,073	318,300
New Jersey	672,035	†905,794
New York	3,880,735	†4,364,411
North Carolina	992,622	†1,069,614
Ohio	2,339,511	†2,659,214
Oregon	52,495	90,922
Pennsylvania	2,906,215	3,515,993
Rhode Island	174,620	217,356
South Carolina	703,708	728,000
Tennessee	1,109,801	1,257,983
Texas	604,215	*797,500
Vermont	315,098	330,552
Virginia	1,596,318	1,224,830
West Virginia	.....	445,616
Wisconsin	775,881	1,055,167
DISTRICT & TERRITORIES		
District of Columbia	75,080	131,796
Arizonia	.....	9,658
Colorada	34,277	39,706
Dakota	4,837	14,181
Idaho	.....	14,998
Montana	.....	20,594
New Mexico	93,516	†91,852
Utah	40,273	86,786
Washington	11,594	23,961
Wyoming	.....	9,118
Total	31,443,321	38,555,183

†Nearly exact.
*Largely estimated.

For the REPUBLICAN.

COL. BROWN:

I am not one of those who think that an editor knows everything; but I am of the opinion that they should be, and believe they are, generally, classed among our most intelligent citizens I do believe and know that they always profess to be on the side of the people, as against monopolies, aristocracies, or anything that savors of oppression. I am willing to concede the point, although I would not flatter, that you have the reputation of always defending justice, and the best interests of the people. To you, therefore, I appeal to know by what authority, the fines imposed upon those who forfeit their recognizances in Court, and all other fines, whether imposed upon liquor sellers or others, go to purchasing a public law library, instead of to the school fund, or the use of the poor? I am a tax-payer and have a right to know. These fines, in the days of our fathers, when men prided themselves in attending to their own business in preference to their neighbors, went to the benefit of the poor, and aided considerably to diminish our poor taxes. Was this not right and just? Why should this old rule be changed, the tax-payers robbed, and these fines go to the purchasing of a Law Library, which cannot in any way benefit the people; but only furnish the means and the knowledge for the lawyers, to them free of cost, to oppress and tyranize over the tax-payers? Is it not offering a premium, holding out inducements to these professional gentlemen, to prosecute their neighbors and get them into the Quarter Sessions upon the most trivial charges, in order to impose fines upon them, for the purpose of buying more books for their public Library? I hold that it is wrong, and when I look upon the increasing criminal business in our Quarter Sessions, I confess, that it looks to me as if these men were all entered into a conspiracy to increase the public Library, at the trouble and expense of the taxpayers, and not only this; but against all feeling, personal liberty or the Constitutional rights of these people. Why shall these wrongs be inflicted upon the *many* for the benefit of the *few*? It is certainly contrary to the spirit and letter of our free institutions, and contrary to the principles advocated by the Republican or any other political party. In view of these facts, if there is such a law upon our statute books, I, as well as hundreds of my friends and fellow citizens, demand its immediate repeal.

Respectfully, &c.,

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NARROW GAUGE RAILROADS.

The new method of constructing local railways which has been adopted and is now in successful operation between Port Madoc and Festiniog in Wales, seems to be well worthy the attention of small communities living in the interior of the country who desire to have cheap branch railroads to connect with main lines. All the elements that enter the economy of transportation are combined in the Welsh railroad. It has a narrow track, a two foot gauge and light engines and cars. The road in question runs through a difficult country, and was originally built for the purpose of transporting slate and stone from the hills of Merimethshire to the sea shore. The perfect adaptation to this use, and the excellent manner in which the road and machinery withstood the enormous strain that was put upon them, suggested the transformation of what was, at first, a simple tramway into a railroad for passengers and traffic. Since then the success of the road has been remarkable. Whilst other roads, running for long distances and constructed at great cost, have been paying with difficulty annual dividends not exceeding five per cent., and frequently less, this little Welsh road has yielded a net revenue of thirty per cent.

The London Colliery Guardian explains quite lucidly the reasoñ of this difference.

"It is," says that journal, "because the dead weight and the paying weight is so much less than upon other railways. The engine and tender upon this line weigh only ten tons, against forty tons upon the wider gauge of other lines. Instead of a first class carriage, weighing seven and a half tons, to carry thirty-two passengers and representing nearly five hundred pounds of dead weight for each passenger, the carriages on the Festiniog Railroad weigh only a ton and a half for twelve passengers, or but two hundred and fifty pounds dead weight for each passenger carried."

It will thus be observed that the saving in dead weight alone is immense. But this is among the least of the advantages presented by a narrow road of wider gauge, and with rolling stock so heavy that by its mere weight and fraction and jar it is breaking the road to pieces.

The whole cost of grading and bridging a narrow track road would be, under favorable circumstances, only a few thousand dollars a mile, while the expenses of engines and cars and the working charges would be on an equally moderate scale. "We do not go so far," says the London Railway News, "that a two-foot gauge will furnish the railway of the future, but we are confident that its economy and efficiency will cause it to be extensively adopted."

The perfect success of the Festiniog Road, its cheapness and the large dividends it has declared, open up to our country friends an example by which they can not only obtain facilities for reaching the nearest market at a cheap rate, but can make at the same time the enterprise profitable to the stockholders.

By adopting the Welsh plan they can have a railroad which will answer all their purposes, at one-sixth the cost of ordinary railways, save one-half the expenses of dead weight, be far less taxed for wear and tear, whilst the working expenses would be reduced to the smallest amount that is compatible with safety and efficiency.

The gauge of the Festiniog Railroad is but two feet, or, to speak with extreme accuracy, only one foot eleven and a half inches. The locomotives used on the road weigh about ten tons, coaled and watered, and the tenders a little over a ton. The passenger carriages are for the most part, seated longitudinally the passengers sitting back to back. This arrangement, of course brings the centre of gravity immediately over the rails, and renders the wide projection of the carriages over the line on each side of comparatively little consequence.—The carriages are about six feet wide and six feet six inches high in the centre and each seated for fourteen passengers. Diminutive though these vehicles are, they afford as ample and comfortable accommodation as the enormous carriages upon ordinary lines, and are in strong contrast with them in the much higher proportion they afford of 'paying' to dead weight—the dead weight hauled on the Festiniog Railway is, indeed reduced to the utmost minimum. * * * * *

The carriage wheels are 18 inches in diameter, and the floor of the vehicle only about 7 inches above the roadway. The trains have a truly comical appearance; from the lowness of the floors and the invisibility of the wheels, they are much more like boxes upon short rollers than ordinary railway or other wheeled carriages."

So much for the road and its carriages. It might, however, be supposed that such a road, so equipped, would not be capable of carrying on a heavy traffic, and that it must be looked upon rather as a curious toy than as adapted to really useful, practicaly everyday purpose. Nothing can be further from the fact. It is a road which has been for some years past in active operation. It carries daily a considerable number of passengers to and from Port Madoc, and a large amount of heavy freight—the latter consisting principally of valuable slate and building stone from the Festiniog quarries. The cheapness with which this road was built, the peculiar lightness of its equipment and the handsome profits it has paid to its stockholders—not less than fifty per cent annually—have led to the construction of similar roads in other parts of Wales. The attention of a large number of capitalists and civil engineers has also been strongly attracted to the subject. About three weeks ago a party of distinguished professional gentlemen left London for Port Madoc to be present at a series of experiments which was instituted for the purpose of testing the relative power of the engines in use on the Festiniog Road with a new locomotive which had been built for the same road by Mr. Fairlie. The competition was to be between the "Welsh Pony"—that being that name of the best locomotive at work on the road—and Mr. Fairlie's "Little Wonder." The latter is described as "a double bogie," being composed of two engines on one frame, both exercising tractive power. The little ten ton locomotive "Welsh Pony" was first put to work, and after various tests it was found, of the minimum of its power, to be capable of drawing seventy-seven tons, up a grade of one foot in eighty-five. The "Little Wonder," weighing nineteen and a-half tons was next tried. It was yoked to a train of one hundred and twenty-five trucks, even passenger carriages and a boat carriage. The weight of the train was one hundred and fourteen tons fourteen hundred weight. Its length was three hundred and eighty yards. "It might have been feared," says a correspondent of the London Telegraph, "that such a diminutive affair as the 'Little Wonder' would have been beaten by such a load and such a road, but it was not." It glided with perfect smoothness round the constantly recurring sharp curves of the mountain, overcame the gradients with perfect ease, and made the entire journey from Port Madoc to Festiniog—fourteen miles—within less than one hour. Among those who witnessed this remarkable feat were English officers connected with the Public Works Department of India, Royal Engineers from Bombay, Civil Engineers representing the Madras and the Northern Panjaub Railways, and other Civil Engineers from Brazil and Canada. The final test was the relative comsumption of coal. In this respect also, the Fairlie engine demonstrated its superiority by showing a saving over all other engines of fifty per cent., on the weight hauled.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

AN ADJOURNED ORPHANS COURT SALE! By virtue of an order of the Orphans Court of Centre Co., there will be exposed to Public Sale, on the premises, on

TUESDAY FEBRUARY 21st, 1871,

at 2 o'clock p. m., the following described Real Estate, late the property of Wm. Williams, dec'd., to wit:—A farm situated on the Bellefonte and Boalsburg Turnpike, at the End of Nittany Mountain, in Harris tp., adjoining lands of M. Thompson (formerly Nancy Berry's heirs) on the South, and Abraham Holderman's heirs, on the North, containing

127 ACRES AND 27 PERCHES

more or less, of good limestone land all under cultivation except 15 or 20 acres covered with a heavy growth of White and Red Oak, Chestnut and Hickory timber, with a fine Fruit Bearing Orchard, and having thereon erected a Dwelling House, Bank Barn, Cornerib and Wagon shed, and other out buildings. Spring Creek skirts the West side of the farm, and the rapidly growing village of Lemont adjoins it on the South, whilst the contemplated Railroad will probably pass through it. There is a never failing spring near the house, and two others are on the premises.

TERMS:—One third of the purchase money to be paid on confirmation of sale by the Court: one third in one year thereafter with interest, and the other third to remain in the property during the Widow's lifetime, with the interest payable to her annually, (and at her decease the principal to be paid to the heirs) all to be secured by bonds and mortgage on the premises.

Thos. Dale,
Evan Williams.
v5n3-3t. Executors of Wm. Williams.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

ANNUAL STATEMENT.

Office of the "Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Centre County."
CENTRE HALL, Jan. 9th, 1871.

ASSETTS.

Bills receivable, being premium notes due and payable by members for insurance made the past year	$21,829 78	
Of which am't there has been called in	654 80	
Leaving due on premium notes taken the past yr.		$21,171 98
To this add receipts into the Treasury and in the hands of Collectors from assessments No 6		$2,761 77
Making the total available assetts of the Company the past year		$23,933 77

EXPENSES.

Compensati'n to Directors	$ 36 35	
Salary of Secretary	100 00	
do Treasurer	25 00	
Printing, office rent, postage and stationery	119 29	
U. S. Rev'e tax & stamps.	95 22	
Fire-proof Safe $431,25—less am't paid by Secretary, $100	331 25	
Agents for collecting assessments No 6	135 08	
Election board, last year.	5 00	
		$4,465 31

LOSSES

Paid the past year:		
To Jno H Conley	$939 00	
" Eliza Mitchell	960 00	
" Wm. Keller	25 00	
" Rev. Fisher	945 14	
	$2,869 74	
Henry Wilmor note..	725 38	
		$4,465 31
Total accruing assetts and funds of the Company the past year		19,468 46
To which add funds, heretofore reported for previous years	$139,730 49	
Less amount of notes expired and cancelled by consent of parties	21,526 15	
		$118,204 34
Making the total available assets of the Company' this day		$137,672 80
Risks and Insurances taken the past year	280,060 91	
Same heretofore reported for previous years	3,320,399 75	
Grand total of risks and insurances taken since organization		$3,600,460 66
From which deduct policies expired and cancelled by consent of parties.		172,544 83
Grand total of risks and insurance in force this day		$3,427,815 83

Debts, Liabilities:—
Due Henry Wilmer, $1,60.

GEO BUCHANAN,
ATTEST: Pres't.
ALEXANDER SHANNON, Sec't'y.

At an election held the same day, the following members were elected Directors for the ensuing year: George Buchanan, Sam'l F. Foster, Henry Keller, Amos Alexander, John Wolf, Joshua Potter, Jacob Hosterman, John Krumrine, J. W. Campbell, S. G. Herring, John Shannon, S. Gramley,

Whereupon the new board organized and appointed the following officers:
President—George Buchanan.
Vice President—Joshua Potter.
Treasurer—Henry Wilmer.
Secretary—Alex. Shannon. 3-2-3t

SALES.

FOR SALE.

The undivided one half of the Shenebarger farm is now offered for sale by Col. John H. Stover, now of Versailles, Morgan county, Mo. Persons wishing further particulars will call upon or address S. H. STOVER,
v2n42-tf. Boalsburg, Pa.

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With a GOOD TWO STORY HOUSE and all the necessary out-houses thereon erected. This property is located on the main road, or street, leading from Eagleville to Beech Creek. Also a Half Acre Lot on Main Street, Eagleville, cornering on two alley's, having thereon erected a GOOD STABLE, and is planted with a number of Fruit Trees of the choicest varieties. For further particulars, or terms of sale inquire of, or address, D. B. KUNES,
Beech Creek, Clinton County, Pa.,
or, J. I. KUNES,
45-tf. Blanchard P. O., Centre county, Pa.

FARMS FOR SALE.—The subscriber will sell at Private Sale, the Farm known as the "Sparr Farm," near Boalsburg, containing

150 ACRES,

on which is erected a good

HOUSE AND BARN,

with good Orchard and all the necessary outbuildings.

Also, the property known as the "Wilson Property," near Boalsburg, Centre county, Pa., containing

200 ACRES,

having thereon erected a

Brick House and Mill,

Blacksmith Shop, Store House, &c. The contemplated Railroad from Lewisburg to Spruce Creek, will run within one-half mile of either of the above properties.

The subscriber will also sell Four Farms in Ferguson twp., Centre co., and one in Franklin twp., Huntingdon county. All of the above are Limestone land, with good improvements.

SAMUEL McWILLIAMS,
v2n34-tf Rock Spring, Centre Co., Pa.

ORPHANS COURT SALE.

By virtue of an order of the Orphans Court of Centre County to the undersigned directed there will be exposed to public sale, on the premises in Howard township on

SATURDAY MARCH THE 11TH, A. D., 1871,

at 1 o'clock P. M., of said day. The following described valuable real estate, late of Frederick Schenck deceased, viz.

No. 1. All that certain tract of land situate in Howard township, bounded as follows; on the East by land in possession of Rudolph Fletcher, on the South by lands of Emanuel Schenck and Daniel Schenck, and on the west by land of Wayne Gardner containing

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY EIGHT ACRES more or less.

No. 2. Also all the certain tract of land situate in Liberty township, being part of an Island in the Bald Eagle Creek, known as Schencks Island said tract bounded as follows, on the North by Bald Eagle Creek, on the East by said creek, on the South by land of Emanuel Schenck and on the West by Bald Eagle Creek, containing

TWENTY ACRES MORE OR LESS.

TERMS OF SALE.—One third of the purchase money in hand on confirmation of the sale by the court, one third in one year thereafter with interest, and the remaining one third to remain in the premises during the life of Mary L. Schenck, widow of said decedant, the interest whereof to be paid to her annually during her life, and at her death the principal to the heirs of said Frederick Schenck, both said payments to be secured by bond and mortgage on the premises.

v3n4-ts MICHAEL SCHENCK, SR.

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Drunkenness and its Curses—No. 7.

BY REFORMATION.

Drunkenness is a sin which excludes from Heaven. The commerce in ardent spirits, therefore, productive only of evil in time, fits for destruction, and turns into hell multitudes which is beyond our power to number. Who will dare deny this? We know full well the truth of this charge. Does it not come home to us? Yes, to our very doors. Not only to the door, but into our families and among those we hold dear. And the great decree which has gone forth—no drunkard shall enter Heaven—has, and is now sounding in our ears. And will we look upon the workings of the monster intemperance any longer with indifference, and claim ourselves free from guilt? Will we through fear and cowardice stand aloof and see our Fathers, Brothers, Mothers and Sisters—Yea, and our children sink into an ever-endless hell, simply from the fact that they who feed and support the demon are men who fill high places in society, and many profess to be christians? But the fruit of these professors? Why, look yonder on the corner, and pray what do you see? A poor drunken creature—a creature, did I say? Well the creature was once a man, but is now sunken, degraded and a cast-out. This is the fruit of those who fill high places. His reason is gone; his manhood gone, and when he comes down to this state, the fruit may be considered fully ripe—a victim ready for the lake of eternal misery. He staggers and reels through the street; but there he is down in the mud. Yonder comes a well dressed man; will he help him out of the gutter? Oh, he seen him, he turns away and passes up on the other side of the street. Who was that well dressed man? I am told he is the minister of the——church, and professes the teaching of Christ. Christian, reflect upon this picture for a moment, and look carefully into it. But yonder comes another well dressed man towards the minister—they meet, and shake hands, hats are tiped. Who was it that met the minister? why I am told he is the Judge of the court. Oh, yes, further comment is unnecessary; the drunkard is still in the gutter; the official passes down by the drunkard, but looks another direction; but saw him, notwithstanding. But neither the judge or the minister are fully at ease.

Conscience is once more at work, and has given both a sharp thurst, and has not only hit the head, but sunk deep into the heart, and that portion of scripture, which reads thus, "Christ come to save the lost," and I profess to be his minister. Another portion of scripture which says "offences will come, but wo unto him by whom they come," and I granted the license by which the man I saw in the gutter got his liquor. The family of that cast-out man who is now helpless in the gutter, are perhaps in a starving condition. Will that minister go and visit that family and see to their wants; see that the drunkard is got home and cared for, and make due effort to reform that drunkard? Examine your commission, and do not complain of the charge now resting upon you. Your Masters example is before you and all who profess to be his servants. Cast not odium upon others until you clear your own skirts. I will here relate what I read a few days ago in the *Cincinnati Weekly Times*, Nov. 10th 1870.

"SAVED BY A LADY.—A lady of good social position in Cleveland, Ohio, while on her way to a meeting of the Young Men's Christian Association, saw, as she passed, in a drinking saloon, a young man about to raise a glass of liquor to his lips. Following instantly the motion of the spirit (would that christians always did this) she left her companion at the entrance, and stepping in, said to the youth—"oh my friend, stop, don't touch it!" Startled by the appearance of a well dressed lady in such a place, he turned and asked—"what brings you here?" "To save you from ruin," she replied. "What do you want of me?" he again asked, confused by the unexpectedness of the scene. "I want you to let me take your arm, and go with you to the Young Men's Christian Association meeting," she answered. "But you would be ashamed to walk with me,"—he said. "Not in the least. I would be rejoiced to go there with you she replied. Unable to resist her persuasive manner and heartfelt interest in his welfare, the young man left the untouched glass, and went to the meeting. Her prayer was specially made for him, and her act of immediate obedience resulted in his conversion. He became not only a christian, but one of the most active workers for the Gospel in Cleveland."

That lady saved that soul from hell she done her duty and great will be her reward in Heaven. What member of the Y. M. C. Association of your town, Mr. Editor, will undertake to compete with this Cleveland lady in her act of kindness? Are not young men fast becoming drunkards there? Young men stop, do not raise that glass to your lips, read what was done by the Cleveland lady, and leave your glass untouched. Hold no longer communion with the demon of destruction.

Christian, what are you doing for the cause of temperance? Can you say to your God that your skirts are clear? It is much to be feared you cannot cast of the fear of the carnal mind—the father of the license law, about which we will have more to say in future, should we live.

I do not wish to cast odium upon any one. Suffice it to say, I will not fear any who ever they may be. My object is not that of selfish motives. Through the interposition of Divine Providence I am here to advocate the cause of God and humanity, and in a plain and humble manner, I shall do so, without regard to obstacles. No man reformed without abuse. But Christ came to save, not to destroy.

Intemperance is rapidly gaining upon us, and will we stand and look upon this growing evil with apathy. No, we dare not, we cannot, and have a conscience clear of trouble. But we have been so long attached to the demon—liquor—that we pass by its workings with indifference, having become such an intimate and common companion. We had so long been habituated to its looks and effects, we magnify the good, and suffer the evil as a necessary consequence.

Even intemperance itself does not appear to us, as it ought. The sight of a man, drunk in the street, wallowing in his shame, has become by long familiarity with such scenes stripped of one-half its disgusting and sickening effects. How many of us pass by the drunkard almost with indifference, perhaps with a smile and a species of enjoyment at the idiot look and the fiend-like demeanor of the wretch. Our sympathies are blunted, and the heart of benevolence is hardened, and the sight of human folly, and vice, and wo, ceases to produce a throb of compassion in our bosoms.

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Quick Temper.

Don't fancy, young people, that because your quck temper causes you a good deal of trouble, that it is a thing of evil and only evil. Your quick temper, like all the rest of your qualities and powers, is a gift from your loving Creator. He gave it to you in love; it is good for you; it is part of your arms and equipments in the battle of life. You will have need of it before you are through with its conflicts. A quick temper is a bad master, but a good slave; when you let it get control of you it is your master, and leads you into a great deal of wrong. It takes possession of you like a little fiend; it flushes and bloats your face, it kindles your eyes, it scowls your brows, it gnashes your teeth, it clinches your hands in fists, it thrusts out your feet in kicks, it causes your tongue to hiss out hateful words, that you would find it impossible to speak when you were your own natural self; it gets you into evil that perhaps a life-time cannot undo.

But a quick temper is a good slave. Make it your slave; conquer it—hold it in obedience to your will, and it will serve you well, and your own character will grow in nobleness and strength from the effort at conquest. The highest excellence of character comes from subduing evil and rising above it. If you have a good deal of the evil in your nature, you will make a great ascent when you get above it, and you will stand higher and be stronger—more virtuous than any one naturally amiable who has had no struggle and gained no victory.

We are apt to think that a meek person must be a spiritless, passive body, with no temptations to get angry. I do not think this is what God means by meekness, for Moses, the meekest man that ever lived, had, by nature, a quick temper. You remember how he once killed a man who was unjust to another, how he meddled in other people's quarrels, how he threw down and broke the tables of stone on which God had just written the ten commandments. You will have something to conquer if you live to be a hundred years old, but, day by day, with each victory, you shall enter upon your certain possessions.

The Bible says the meek shall inherit the earth, and I used to think this was very strange. I supposed that meek people meant spiritless people, and if they ever were going to inherit the earth it would be a long time before they came into their property. But I see it differently now. The meek—that is those who have overcome themselves—are the royal natures; to them all things shall be in subjection. The earth is theirs, and God shall crown them kings and conquerers.

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Wheat And Straw As Feed.

tucky correspondent sends us wing: "Happening at a grist cently, I met a thoroughly prac armer, Mr. Jones, who is a large dealer, and has fatted more of than any one I know. I observed he was having a large quantity of t year's wheat ground, and I asked why he had so much ground up one time. He informed me that intended it as feed for some old ttle which were too old to keep nger, either as work cattle or milk ers and breeders. I asked his plan of eding it. He said he had the bolting-cloths removed, and the whole cked without separation. This he ixed with wheat-straw and oat straw hich he cut fine, and sometimes cut heat and oat bundles, from which he grain had been threshed. This ood he said, would fatten rapidly the oldest and poorest ox or cow he ever aw, when they could not be fatted with any other treatment within his experience, not excepting the far famed Kentucky blue-grass, in the month of June. I consider this bit of practical experience worthy of note, as I am sure others than myself may profit by its recital."—*Hearth and Home.*

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BELLEFONTE REPUBLICAN.

BELLEFONTE, PA.

Wednesday Morning, February 1, 1871.

HOME NEWS.

CLOSE.—An editor of one of our exchanges reports money close, but not close enough to be reached.

OUR best physicians sanction and recommend the use of Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer. Let all who are gray apply it!

SKINFLINT who never gives nothing to nobody—has no doubt that men cut off their limbs, and women have babies on purpose to appeal to public sympathy.

VULGAR.—The *Watchman* continues vulgar as ever. The *ass*-ociate appears to employ nearly all of his time in hunting up and publishing old, smutty and worn out stories. Perhaps he knows best what suits his Democratic readers male and female.

THE Presbyterian Church of Pittston, has gone back to congregational singing, after the fashion in vogue in Scotland. It is presumed the reason for this course is that the church is made up very largely of Scotch families. When will other churches follow their example?

MERRY.—Our streets were full of sleds and sleighs on Saturday and Sunday last. Every body, male and female, and all the relations appeared determined to enjoy the snow "the beautiful snow." Some of the sleds, we saw were packed to overflowing with *Merrie* lads and lasses.

FINE HIM.—There is entirely too much fast and reckless driving through our streets. Some people think they have an indisputable right to travel through the streets at a two-forty rate without regard to the safety of pedestrians. A few arrests would no doubt have a salutory effect.

KEEP YOUR ARMS IN.—It is said that a case has been decided by the Supreme Court, that if a person puts his arm out of a moving railroad train, and the arm is struck by a projecting rock or any other object on the side of the road, the passenger cannot recover damages, because he has been negligent and not taken proper care of himself.

AT HOME.—Hon. P. G. Meek, member of the Legislature from this county was at home on Saturday and Sunday last. Do our readers remember how the columns of the *Watchman* in the last campaign run over with abuse of Hon. Wm. H. Armstrong for spending a Sabbath or two with his family. Consistent fellows, these Democratic editors.

NEW FIRM.—A new Furniture store has been opened in the Bush House, by Messrs Schroyer & Son, formerly of Lock Haven. This is a strong firm both mechanically and financially. They are practical workmen, and have the stamps to supply the needed material. We bespeak for them a liberal share of patronage. Let the town be built up and the people all be supplied with articles of home manufacture.

ON THE DECLINE.—The decline of skating rinks is an evidence of returning sense, and shows the folly of attempting to counterfeit natural amusements. Who would care to catch bass out of a cistern, or shoot grouse in a barn, or gallop a horse around a circus-track? The charm of these sports is in the free air, the scenery, etc. So it is with skating. It isn't worth a copper unless done in the open air, outside of inclosing walls and away from the glare of gas-burners.

DR. THOMAS H. BURROWS.—This gentleman having been greatly prostrated by the labors in connection with the winding up of the year, of the Agricultural College of Penn'a, which closed in December, 1870, and of which he is president, has since been in a somewhat critical condition of health. We are pleased to learn, however, that he is gradually becoming restored, and that the College for the year 1871, will reopen as heretofore announced, under his direction, on Friday Feb. 10th.

REMEMBER THE POOR.—Now is the time at this inclement season of the year to remember the poor. Prayers will not supply their wants. Something more tactile and palpable is necessary to meet the demand. We should always endeavor to be in possession of that "charity which vaunteth not itself, is not puffed up, nor doth not behave unseemly." "Dropping a kind word into the ear" of the poor is a Bellefonte idea of charity. The poor don't fat up on it worth a cent.

A CARD.—Harry D. Landis master mechanic of the Bellefonte & Snow Shoe R. R. Co., is entitled to and is hereby tendered the thanks of the Logan Fire Company of Bellefonte, for a most beautiful and complete double-spanner highly polished and ornamented, and of extraordinary adaptability to various uses—his own invention. The company assure him that if his house takes fire, even if we cannot reach it with the Hose we will put out the fire if we have to carry water from the creek in our hats. By order of

THE PRESIDENT.

For the REPUBLICAN.

CURTIN TWP., Jan. 28, '71.

W. W. BROWN, ESQ.:

Dear Sir:—Some time ago you gave a brief account of some of our stock, which was true in the main, I wish to correct a few items. Of that litter of pigs, two sows are yet kept for stock, one only weighed over 480 lbs. at 18 months, three or four more 450 or nearly that, I weighed one side of one after the back bone was taken out and head off, it weighed 180, one ham 55. My bull has not been weighed; I told you his sire weighed about 1,100 lbs dressed, and his dam gave five gallons of good milk per day. I forgot to say the pigs were a cross between the Chester and Yorkshire.

I have been paying attention to stock for some time; have thought a brief history of my experience might be interesting to farmers. For the present will say that not more than one-third of the cows I have bought, were worth keeping over winter—two or three only, have a history worth writing. My pigs until recently were a failure also.

I think I have learned how to feed pigs, cows and horses. If you think it worth the room in your paper, when I get time I may give you a few items in regard to stock.

A. S. TIPTON.

WIDE-AWAKE.—Our enterprising friend Joun Uzzle of Snow Shoe tp., is winning for himself. golden honors as a first class business man, farmer and stock raiser. Mr. Uzzel commenced life a blacksmith, full of patriotism and love of Country, he entered the army in the late war for the Union. Having served his country faithfully, he returned to Snow Shoe, erected a large and elegant Hotel—conducted the in connection with other business until he amassed quite a handsome fortune, when he retired from that business and engaged in raising blooded stock of all kinds, horses, hogs, cows, rabbits, poultry &c, &c. He now has over 1,000 chickens of the choicest kind. We hope he may long live to comfort and cheer the hearts of his family and friends and to add thousands to his already large fortune, and we might add to present editors with the best of over shoes.

PROFESIONAL.—In another column of the REPUBLICAN will be seen the Professional card of Dr. E. A. Russell. Dr. Russell is a native of this county, a highly educated gentleman and a graduate of one of the Medical colleges in the country. For three years Dr. Russell had charge of the Almshouse and city Hospital for three years under the supervision of the Sisters of St. Joseph, at Wheeling W. Va., and while in that position made for himself a reputation, both as a gentleman and Physician, surpassed by few, if any, persons of his age engaged in the medical Profession. We wish him long life and a bright future.

POISONED CANDY.—We have several times cautioned parents against giving their children painted candies, and warned them of the result. Last night Edith, youngest daughter of Mr. S. S. Green, foreman of the *Telegraph* composing room, was taken very ill with all the symptons of the worst form of cholera morbus. An investigation proved that the child had been given a candy apple, which was colored, to play with, and had, without the knowledge of his parents, eaten a portion of it.—*Harrisburg Telegraph.*

VALENTINE'S at Rankin's.

RIGHT.—The custom of cramming children with study in the schools is receiving in the newspapers of the different cities its customary merited denunciation. Every winter this custom is opposed by the press with columns of argument, but without effect. School children continue to be pressed with an amount to study that qualifies one-half of them for the sick bed in their after lives, and kills a few outright. Sound minds in sound bodies are not considered a requisite to happiness and usefulness by school directors generally.

NOTICE.—The undersigned hereby gives notice to all persons knowing themselves indebted to him to call in at his store in the Brockerhoff Row Bellefonte Pa. where he is selling off his entire stock at cost, and settle there accounts at once. He desires to have his books closed up by spring, and all persons who are in the above class will save trouble by paying attention to this notice.

GEO. D. PIFER.

GRAND clearance sale of $2,000 worth of boots and shoes, next door to the Post office, positively at cost. This sale will be continued for the present week only, and we would advise each and every one desiring to secure the best goods at the very best bargains, to call at once upon Graham & Son.

VALENTINE'S at Rankin's.

DR. J. K. HOLLOWAY, formerly of this county, but now a resident of Akron, Ohio, has been on a visit to his friends in this county during the past three weeks. We had the honor of his presence in our sanctum yesterday. His health has been poor during his visit; but he is now convalescent and will start for his new home on next Monday.

LIST of letters remaining in the Bellefonte Post office, and unclaimed, February 1, 1871.

Bumgardner, Christ	Lucas, Lettie B
Buck, Franklin	Lebo, F M
Bartley, Jacob	Lucas, Wm
Cooper, Joseph	Lindsey, Miss Sarah
Cast, Mr	Morgan, Wm
Cowher, Miss Jane	McAllister, Toner
Charles, Wm	Martin, Miss Mary E
Confer, John	Miller, Miss Jennie C
Daly, Miss Elizabeth P	Mulbarger, Miss Lucy-2
Ely, Samuel L	Marshall, Miss Nelly
Ender, Jane	Neff, Ira W
Evey, Miss Elizabeth	Palmer, W O
Fishborn, R W	Price, David
Furey, Morris	Roads, Mrs E P
Garman, Samuel—2	Riggle, David
Griffiths, Wm. R—2	Rockey, Miss Sophie—2
Green, Wm—2	Reed, Miss M
Glasego, Wm	Racord, Samuel
Holt, Mr Chas	Robson, John
Hinton, Geo K	Stover, Mrs Geo W
Hall, James	Stevenson, Cyrus
Haines, Isaac	Smith, Mrs Henrietta
Hine, H	Smuch, M
Harman, Mrs Mary	Shiffler, John B
Ickoff, Isaac	Smith, Miss Mary
Iddings, Miss Sallie M	Smith, Henry
Jordon, George I	Strong, E
Johnson, Thos B	Sarvey, Miss Mary
Kelley, Timothy	Tate, W S
Lizott, Mr Octave	Troy, N C
Longwell, James	Tate, Mrs Agnes
Larkins, Sam'l I	Woods, W W
Lucas, Isaac	Wian, Peter
	White, Mrs M E

Persons asking for letters mentioned in the above list, will please say they are advertised.

JNO. T. JOHNSTON, P. M.

VALENTINE'S at Rankin's.

BALL OF THE LOGAN FIRE COMPANY.—Our Fire Company have completed their arrangements for a Select Ball, at Bush's Hall, on Thursday Eve., February 16th, 1871, and the affair promises to be a grand success. Invitations are now being issued and tickets are for sale by the committee. The price of ticket for Ball and Supper is only $2,50 for gentlemen and the ladies who accompany them. The invitations are sent to reputable people only, and no one need hesitate to put in an appearance, there and then. Those who do not wish to dance will be afforded a comfortable place to enjoy the fun as spectators and an excellent supper. Music by the Milesburg string band.

We hope all our citizens will cheerfully co-operate to aid the company upon whom our security from calamity by fire so largely depends, and who have already won the confidence of our people. Let every property holder buy a ticket.

FOR cheap and good furniture, go to O'Bryan's opposite the Court House.

FOUND AT LAST.—The man, who is too poor, or too penurious, to subscribe for his county paper has been found at last. Col. Tate of the Williamsport *Sun* tells the following story in regard to him. The Col., says he lives in Elmira and is so penurious that when shelling corn, a kernel flew into a wood pile, and he removed several cords of wood to find it A neighbor, standing near where the searcher was looking, but when he found it he said: "You can't fool me with that small kernel; the one I lost was a large one." We ask the Col. to answer this question if possible. Is he not a brother to the man who does not advertise and who expects his neighbors to deal with him?

VALENTINE'S at Rankin's.

MARRIED.—The first matrimonial ceremony ever administered among the lumber mountains of Beech Creek, was celebrated on the 22nd inst., in Curtin tp., at the Curtin camp, on Two Rock Run, occupied by Mr. Geo. Weaver and under control of Mr. Nathan McCloskey. The happy couple were Wm. W. James of Liberty tp., and Miss Rebecca McClaskey of Curtin tp. The ceremony was performed by Z. S. Welch, Esq., of Curtin tp. A magnificent dinner was served upon the occasion and great respect Shown to Z. S. Welch, Esq., who possesses the authority from our great State, to unite two willing hearts, in holy wedlock, either in the camp or in the church.

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GEO. LIVINGSTON, Esq.—It is with pleasure we direct the attention of our readers to the half column advertisement, of Geo. Livingston in another department of the REPUBLICAN, Mr. Livingstonh as long been engaged in the Book and Stationery business, indeed it can safely be said that he is the oldest Book dealer in the county. He understands his business fully, has a fine large room which is well filled with the choicest and best of books, including all of the Standard works. He promises to maintain his character for honest dealing, and is determined to be undersold by no one in any branch of the business. See Advertisement.

TO THE TRADE.—I desire to call the attention of the trade to my stock of lake fish, having, for the past thirteen years, made this branch of business a specialty. My stock, at this time, is the largest ever held in this city. I am prepared to furnish dealers, promptly, by the dray or car load, and have made arrangements for shipping by the car load, at special rates, from Detroit, Sandusky, Huron, Vermillion or Cleveland, and also from Pittsburgh to any points in Pennsylvania or Ohio, as shippers may with. I would also call the attention of dealers to my extensive assortment and stock of corn brooms, broom corn, and broom materials, all of which I can supply at very low rates.

JAMES CONNOR.
Wholesale Grocer,
5-5t No. 355 Liberty st., Pittsburg.

VALENTINE'S at Rankin's.

For the REPUBLICAN.

DALTON, OHIO, Jan. 25, 1871.

EDITORS OF THE REPUBLICAN:

As I am having a little spare time, I thought, perhaps, a few lines for your valuable paper might not come amis. As there has been some pretty cold weather in different parts this winter, I will give a slight account of it here in Ohio. The cold commenced about the middle of December and continued about four weeks, with some variations. There was one morning the thermometor represented it to be six degrees below Zero, which was the only morning or the only time it has been below Zero for ten years. We have had several little snows from one to three inches deep. The only snow that lay any time was one that fell at the commencement of the cold wealther and lay till the breaking up of the same, when the snow left, leaving mud instead.

Then we had a nice young Indian summer, so much so, that many of the farmers were busily engaged in plowing and the merry birds, and even the frogs were engaged in amusing themselves and cheering up the community with their usual songs of praise, that they had been spared to see the rays of the sun warm up their habitations once more. On the twenty-third ult., the chilling winds came and with them about two inches of snow, which is being well used by the sporting sleighmen. Although the weather is moderate, the roads are in good condition.

Seeing many publications in the REPUBLICAN of some very fine stock raised and slaughtered by the farmers of old Centre, I thought, perhaps, you would like to know what the farmers of Ohio can do in that line of business. Well, I will just give a few facts, for example. First I saw one hog weighed, which just put the scales down to 680 lbs, and thought that a pretty good porker; but it was a pig, in comparison to the following: There is a man living near Haysville, Ohio, by the name of Thos. Bushnell, that has a porker that weighs 1,311 pounds, and Dave Fox has a bull three years old weighing 2,200 pounds, and a heiffer of the same age weighing 1.830 pounds. Now, if any of old Centre's boys can over reach these figures, please notify us of the fact and we will try again, for we always like to be on the side of improvement.

The official census of Ohio, shows a popoulation of 2,663,581.

It was so warm in Wooster last week, that a man complained of being sun struck.

A son of Perry Strow had his leg broken in two places while playing at school a few days ago.

With my best wishes for the editors of the REPUBLICAN and its numerous readers,

I am as ever, yours truly,

S. S.

O'BRYAN'S furniture store always a head for good goods at a low price.

COMPULSORY EDUCATION.—People are beginning to agitate the question of compulsory education. Is it not better to compel a boy to attend school than to suffer him to run at large on the street, and thus educated in ignorance and vice; to close his career in the Penitentiary? Bucks county is the first, we believe to lead off on this question, as will be seen by the following from the *Intelligencer*:

At the last meeting of the Wrightstown School Board the following resolution was passed:

"*Resolved*: That the School Directors of Wrightstown favor the passage of a judicious law compelling parents, guardians, and those with whom children reside, to send their children to school a certain number of months each year." In forwarding a copy of the resolution to the County Superintendent, they suggest the propriety of having petitions circulated for the passage of such a law applying to Bucks county alone. The subject of entire non-attendance, and of irregular attendance at school, and the proper manner of meeting these evils are justly claiming the attention of all interested in educational progress. Throughout the country there are thousands of children who, but rarely found within the walls of a school-room, are allowed to grow up in idleness, in ignorance, and in vice. The neglect which suffers this state of things is almost criminal. The highest interests of the State demand that the privileges offered by our common schools shall be made use of to the fullest possible extent, and in this connection the propriety of a compulsory law, such as is suggested by the Wrightstown Board, is being extensively discussed. The County Superintendent invites an expression of opinion on the part of the people through the several School Boards. Let each Board ascertain the views of the community it represents and forward a report in the shape of a petition or resolution to the Superintendent, and also to our members in the Legislature.

GROCERIES, &c.—Sechler & Co., the great Grocery men of Room No. 4, in the Bush House, are, notwithstanding the general dullness, doing an excellent business and are willing to bear their testimony in favor of judicious advertising. They advertise liberally. The result is they have made their trade and are flourishing. May they continue to prosper.

THE attention of our readers is directed to the card of Jas. Conner, wholesale grocer. Mr. Connor is the largest dealer in Pittsburgh, and dealers will find it to their interest to give him a call.

NEWS FROM OTHER COUNTIES.

BLAIR COUNTY.

The *Register* says, that Thomas. McNamara, Esq., a former prominent citizen of this place, but who has for several years resided in Washington, having been in the employ of the Government, died at that place on Friday the 13th inst., at an advanced age. His remains were brought to this place for interment, and on the following Monday they were followed to their last resting place at the Presbyterian cemetery, by a large concourse of our citizens.....On Friday the 20th inst., a tragedy occurred in Altoona. The facts are as follows. One Hamilton Starr believing that one A. Feay formily a resident of Hollidaysburg had been guilty of criminal intercourse with his wife, met him and shot at him seven times, five of them taking effect. Starr was arrested and is now in jail in Hollidaysburg. We think it served Feay right, and think the woman should have received at least three out of the seven balls fired at Feay. We never could see why the man is killed and the woman suffered to go scott free. It appears that both parties were fond of Lager beer. Why should any person be killed simply for liking lager beer..... The *Register* says one of the most flagrant imposition is the school book nuisance. Just as people think the public schools are supplied with a particular class of books that may continue for years, *presto*, all is changed; and a new set, of books is ordered! Now, this nuisance is almost insufferable, and in the present high price of school books, the expense falls heavily on poor people—laboring men, washer women, e c We have heard mush complaint on the subject. Can't the matter be remedied? It is said the present school books in our common schools are of a superior order—the same has been said for the last twenty years—and yet at almost every session a new class of books have to be procured. It is about time this thing should stop. We fear that the following article from the Harrisburg *Patriot* contains more truth than fiction, and that many other districts are in the same situation as that city: "THE SCHOOL BOOK NUISANCE.—This nuisance has been borne by the poor in patience and silence for many years, but it is at last receiving the attention which it deserves. Wholesale book concerns have been carrying on a species of petty bribery, under which school directors, superintendents and teachers have accumulated small libraries for employing the influence of their position in securing frequent changes of books. There is scarcely a head of a family who has not keenly felt the effect of this abuse. A "Father" gave vent to his grievances in the *Patriot* of Thursday. In this morning's issue a poor washer-woman makes her complaint. Let the agitation go on until the proper steps be taken to abet the nuisance.

CLINTON COUNTY.

R. B. Caldwell & Co., are about starting a new Bank at Renova.....The *Republican* says; our townsman, H. Bressler, Esq., was the Republican candidate for Assistant Clerk of the State Senate, at the recent organization of that body, and received the united support of the Republican Senators, but failed to win by the inevitable Democratic one which overthrew him and all the Republican caucus nominees. That inevitable one of majority lost Mr. Bressler, his place. Thus enforcing in the strongest terms upon the Republican party, the importance of one vote, and of thorough organization. We have known Mr. Bressler for years and Clinton county has great reason to be proud of him as one of her first and most enterprising citizens.....The Fleming Foundry has passed into the hands of our well-known citizen Mr. O. A. Harvey, who, launches out into business in a way to ensure success. He announces himself prepared to furnish almost everything in his line of business, and we hope the public will give him their most liberal encouragement..... The Masonic Farternity, recently had a grand supper at the Fallon House. It is reported to have been a gay and festive occasion. Brief addresses were made by L. A. Mackey, G. O. Deise, W. C. Kress, O. T. Noble, E. J. Troxell and others. We suppose the speeches were all good and we know it will please the speakers to see their names in the Bellefonte REPUBLICAN. Therefore we print them: but who is Mr. Others, the gentleman who made the last speech?

For the REPUBLICAN.

MR. EDITOR.—Judging from the number of fat hogs that have been killed this season and published in your valuable paper, we have a fat county, and as the principle part of the fat centres in Bellefonte, is it any wonder that some of our county officials are such slippery fellows? But you have been greased long enough with fat pork, the production of men and hogs. Let us change this subject a little, and grease you with butter, the production of women's work and cows. Miss Fanny Andrews, housekeeper for H. Hartsock, Esq., of Huston tp., made from six cows, (two of them never having given milk before) eight hundred lbs., first class butter from the first of April 1870 to the first of Jan. 1871. If any of our farmers wives can beat that, let us hear from them.

LOCUST.

PHILIPSBURG ITEMS.—An employee in the new tannery was slightly injured last week. The *Journal* says by accident.

—The Baptists are about commencing a series of revival meetings in their church.

—There is an enteresting revival meeting now in progress in the M. E. Church.

—The *Journal* says, on Saturday last, the many friends of Mr. G. W. Daicy, postmaster at this place, were pleased to see him again perambulating our streets, without the aid of crutches.

WILLIAMSPORT POST OFFICE.—The amount of money orders issued by the Williamsport post office from January 1st, 1870, to January 1st, 1871, reached $35,802 56. The amount paid during the same time was $24,312 76.

THE TRIBUNE ALMANAC.—We have received the *Tribune* Almanac for 1871. As usual it is full of interesting information on political and financial subjects, in addition to its admirable, Astronomical Department. Its price is only twenty cents, and as a book of reference it is valuable to every one interested in the world's affairs.

DIED.

On the 16th ult., in Gregg twp., Mr. Phillip Leitzell, aged 74 years 1 month and 13 days.

Death has been here and borne away,
A father from our side;
Amidst his sufferings and his pains
In christian faith he died.

A few short months since mother dear,
Was called from us away;
No more on earth shall they appear,
They sleep beneath the clay.

Side by side they sweetly sleep,
Beneath the silent clod;
These were their words, "Oh, do not weep,
We are going to dwell with God."

Sleep on dear parents, sweetly sleep,
Your days of care are o'er;
Soon shall we all in Heaven meet,
Where sorrow is no more.

Dear sisters put your trust in God,
For Jesus is your brother;
A few more days and we shall meet
Our father and our mother.

Dear brothers, let us forward press,
To that bright shining shore;
Soon will we meet them face to face.
Where parting comes no more.

On the 25th ult., at Mount Eagle, Wm Antes, in the 35th year of his age.

Mr. Antes was a son of Frederick and Antes, of Boggs twp. He lived an exemplary Christian life, and died exulting in the praises of redeeming love—virtues inculcated by pious parents from his earliest childhood. He rests in peace.

On the 7th ult., at Dayton, Ohio, Mrs. Eliza W. Lehman, (formerly Gideon) daughter of Wm. Ward.

[*Watchman* please copy.]

At his residence in Milesburg, on Saturday 28th ult., Rev. Chas. G. Ryman in the (24th) of his age.

Truly the pall of death has been thrown over our little village; by the sudden demise of our worthy and esteemed citizen. Mr. Ryman was one of the oldest inhabitants of the town and was widely known throughout the county. Too much cannot be said in commendation of him as a citizen. In early life he became religious and united himself with the M. E. Church of which he remained a consistant member till his death. His life was one devoted to the interests of all around him both in temporal and spiritual things. In his relation to the church he filled every position even to regularly ordained minister. Pen would fail to offer an adequate eulogy. He is one that cannot be easily replaced, but he is gone; suddenly and unexpectedly to all but himself, death came and called him from his usefulness on earth to his reward in heaven. In all his intercourse with the world, it could be said of him mark the perfect man and behold the upright for the end of that man is peace. Therefore we have hope in his death and among the redeemed the joyful announcement has been made that another has come up through great tribulation to swell the blood-washed throng of the redeemed of the Lord. His remains was conveyed to their last resting place in the Milesburg grave yard on Monday the 30th ult., followed by a very large concourse of people. The religious exercises were conducted by Revs. Mullen and Cleaver. As we left him in the silent grave we could but say—

His languishing head is at rest,
Its thinking and aching are o'er,
His quiet immovable breast
Is heaved by affliction no more,
The fountains can yield no supplies,
The hollows from water are free,
The tears are all wiped from his eyes
And evil they never shall see.

Grain and Flour Markets.

Corrected Weekly

BELLEFONTE, Jan. 25th, 1871.

White Wheat per bushel	$1 20
Red wheat, (Old)	1 25
New Wheat	1 25
Barley	75
Shelled corn	70
Oats	40
Rye per bushel	75
Buckwheat per bushel	75
Clover seed " "	to 6 25
Plaster ₩ ton	15 00

Provision Market.

Corrected Weekly by Levi A. Miller.

Apples, dried, per lb	$10@12
Peaches, dried, per	15@25
Cherries, dried, per lb	12
Beans per quart	12
Butter per lb	30
Chickens, per piece	25
Turkeys, per lb	8@10
Cheese per lb	25
Hams per lb	20
Bacon	15
Lard per lb	15
Eggs per doz	30
Potatoes per bushel	75
Dried Beef	30
Pork fresh	9
Beef, (steak)	20@25
Beef, (roast)	18@90

Milroy Markets.

Corrected Weekly by George Blymyer & Sons.

MILROY, PA., Feb. 1, 1871.

Red Wheat ₩ bushel	$1.25
Rye ₩ bushel	70
Oats White	40
" Black	38
Corn	55
Barley	60
Flaxseed	2 00
Cloverseed	6 00
Plaster, (Ground)	12 00
Plaster, (Stone)	9 50
Salt in sacks	2 50
Salt in bbls	3 25 @ 3 50
Limeburners Coal	4 50
Stove Coal, (Wilkes Barre	7 50

SPECIAL NOTICES.

SEE BENCH OF GRAPES.—On Standard in another column. SPEER'S STANDARD WINE BITTERS is highly recommended by physicians for Dyspeptics, on account of its tonic properties, its purity, and its delicious flavor.
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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

E. A. RUSSELL, M. D., Physician and Surgeon, offers his Professional services to the citizens of Unionville and vicinity. v3n5-3m.

ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE.—Letters of Administration on the Estate of Philip Leitzel, late of Gregg twp., dec'd., were granted to the undersigned January 30, 1871, who requests all persons knowing themselves indebted to said Estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims to present them duly authenticated for settlement. J. B. LEITZEL,
v3n5-6t. Adm'r.

EXECUTORS NOTICE.—Letters testamentary on the Estate of Sarah Boyce, late of Ferguson twp., dec'd., having been granted to the undersigned residing in said township, who requests all persons knowing themselves indebted to said Estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims to present them duly authenticated for settlement.

J. G. RIDER,
ESTER RIDER,
v3n5-6t. Executors.